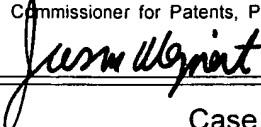


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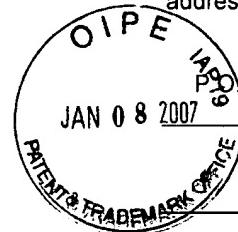


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Dear Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-identified application, please amend the application as follows:

Amendments to the specification begin at page 2.

The listing of the claims appears at page 4.

Applicants' remarks appear at page 9.